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### **SORT 31 Unaccented Final Syllables (-le)**

Sort your words according to the headings given – using the key words as examples. Alphabetize each column when you write them down – do not rewrite the guide words

<b>VCle</b>	<b>VCCle doublet</b>	<b>VCCle</b>
<b>title</b>	<b>little</b>	<b>simple</b>

**Generalizing the pattern: at the beginning of the sentence circle the answer that makes a true statement – choose one answer.**

- 1 2 3**                      Each word in the list has \_\_\_ syllables.
- Consonant or vowel**      The letters *-le* are always attached to a \_\_\_.
- Long or short**              When you say the words in the VCle column out loud the vowel in the first syllable is \_\_\_.
- Long or short**              When you say the words in the VCCle doublet column out loud the vowel in the first syllable is \_\_\_.
- Long or short**              When you say the words in the VCCle column out loud the vowel in the first syllable is \_\_\_.

**What generalization can you make about the vowel sounds in this list?**

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**Match the words to their meaning:**

headgear used to steer a horse	
to shake involuntarily	
a type of horn without valves often used in the military	
noun: a weapon; verb: to search through things with the intent to steal	

Go on a word hunt. See if you can find six more words that end in -le that are not on your list.


Complete a blind sort with a partner (that is where they pull the words out of your baggie and you spell them below)

Partner's name \_\_\_\_\_
